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SUBJECT:PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION

1. THE PRESIDENT HAS REQUESTED THAT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE
BE DELIVERED TO PRESIDENT NIMEIRI AT THE EARLIEST APPROPRI-
ATE TIME:

QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS MY
APPRECIATION FOR YOUR EXCELLENCY'S DEDICATION TO FINDING
A PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO PROBLEMS IN THE MIDDLE EAST.
PRESIDENT SADAT'S BOLD INITIATIVE IN VISITING ISRAEL HAS
OPENED THE WAY TOWARD DISPELLING A GENERATION OF MUTUAL
DISTRUST AND HOSTILITY WHICH HAS PLAGUED THE MIDDLE EAST.
WE BELIEVE THAT PRESIDENT SADAT HAS SET IN MOTION AN
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IRREVERSIBLE PROCESS TOWARD PEACE IN THIS TROUBLED REGION.
JUST AS THIS INITIATIVE REQUIRED GREAT COURAGE ON THE PART
OF PRESIDENT SADAT, SO YOUR EXCELLENCY'S IMMEDIATE AND
FORCEFUL DEMONSTRATION OF SUPPORT REFLECTS SIMILAR STATES-
MANSHIP AND COURAGE. YOUR EXCELLENCY MAY BE ASSURED THAT
THESE EFFORTS HAVE THE FULL SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES.
THE RESPONSE OF YOUR GOVERNMENT TOWARD THIS ENDEAVOR IS

AN EXPRESSION OF THE CONCERN OUR TWO NATIONS SHARE FOR THE
PROBLEMS OF THE AREA AND OF OUR INTEREST IN FINDING A
LASTING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

2. THE WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PROPOSE TO RELEASE THIS
MESSAGE, BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY RECIPIENT. VANCE

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